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Atty. Dkt. No. 061300-0421

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Anthony Khouri

Title: VEHICLE MOUNTED PLASTICS  
DRUM FOR CONCRETE  
MIXING AND METHODS OF  
MANUFACTURE THEREOF

Appl. No.: 10/049,605

Filing Date: 10/09/2000

Examiner: Soohoo, Tony Glen

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[ X ] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	72	-	92	=	0	x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	6	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:							+	\$290.00	= \$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL									= \$0.00

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- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$420.00	\$0.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,480.00	\$0.00
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EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$110.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:			\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:			\$110.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

April 5, 2004

By

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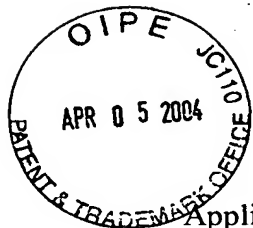
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 5, 2004 in which a restriction requirement was imposed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 13 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 23 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: